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2022 WHEATBELT GOLDFIELDS REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

The 2022 Wheatbelt Goldfields Regional Championships were held in Merredin at the Merredin Community & Leisure Centre on Sunday 24 July.

A total of 16 teams registered across divisions of OPEN, 18U, 14U & 12U from Northam Netball Association, Merredin

Netball Association, Eastern Goldfields Netball Association, Central Wheatbelt Netball Association and Corrigin & Districts Netball Association.

The Regional Championships form part of the Netball WA (NWA) Competition Framework and Pathway and are held annually to provide

representative participation for Association players, coaches, officials, and managers.

With convincing wins all day, the Eastern Goldfields Open team were too strong for all other contenders, eventually taking home the premiership with a win over Merredin Netball Association in the final.

The minor rounds were no indication in the 18U division with Eastern Goldfields finishing fourth, to then take home the premiership, defeating Merredin Blue 25 to 9 in the Grand final.

After losing to Eastern Goldfields in the minor rounds the Merredin 14U team played well in the game that counted, defeating Eastern Goldfields 23 to 11, in the Grand final.

Corrigin & Districts 12U team played well all day and made it through to the Grand final but couldn't cause the upset they

were chasing in the final, losing to the undefeated Eastern Goldfields team.

Congratulations to Kassidy Emery (NNA), Nikita Mereyato (EGNA), Kate Hayes-Thompson (MNA), Maddi Emery (NNA), Juanita Millowick (EGNA), Baileigh Rose Grant (MNA), Courtney Henderson (EGNA) and Michelle Shaw (EGNA) for being allocated as Grand final umpires.

Other award recipients across the day:

The Best Dressed Award: Corrigin & Districts Netball Association

The Sportsmanship Award: Mia Parsons, Corrigin & Districts Netball Association

Rising Star Coach: Georgie Chambers, Northam Netball Association

Rising Star Umpire: Maddi

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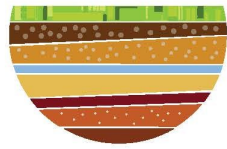
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**COVID-19 WA
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As at 26 July 2022

Tested 4,301,661

Confirmed Cases 1,038,272

Recovered 1,004,903

Deaths 469

Active cases in WA 32,900

COVID-19 in Australia

Vaccinations:

1 Dose 22,386,084 (92.73%)

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**COVID-19 Australian
 Statistics**

WA—Cases 103,272—Deaths 469

ACT—Cases 187,087 —Deaths 89

NSW—Cases 3.1M—Deaths 4,031

NT—Cases 88,636—Deaths 54

QLD—Cases 1.46M—Deaths 1,491

SA—Cases 687,515—Deaths 629

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CWA OF WA STATE CONFERENCE

By **YVONNE GRAY**

Members of Nukarni Branch recently attended the annual CWA of WA State Conference, hosted by Bindoon Belles Branch and held in Gingin.

Nukarni Branch were the grateful recipients of the CWA Community Grant of \$5,000 which will go towards the refurbishment of our building. Since moving into the Coronation Street premises in 2017 we have been working towards the upkeep and

maintenance, which amounts to a substantial amount. A grant from CBH has given our goal a boost and fundraising is ongoing.

Discussion and guest speakers at the Conference included representatives from Grandparents Rearing Grandchildren, Telstra, Audika Hearing, Lara Jensen of Campaign to Improve Train Lighting, Salvation Army Emergency Services, Foot and Mouth Disease, as well as CWA business.

In 2024 Nukarni Branch will celebrate 90 years of membership and service to CWA of WA and the local community. CWA of WA will be 100 years in 2024 and plans are

underway for many activities and celebrations for this significant event, including a book of 100 stories from members past and present of their memories of CWA.

2022 WHEATBELT GOLDFIELDS REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS cont.

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Emery, Northam Netball Association

Coch of the Meet: Mokai Ruatara, Eastern Goldfields Netball Association

Umpire of the Meet: Courtney Henderson, Eastern Goldfields Netball Association
Wheatbelt Goldfields Region Volunteer of the Year Award: Stephanie Walsh, Merredin Netball Association

Thank you to Merredin Netball Association for hosting the championships.



WBGF Volunteer of the Year - Stephanie Walsh, MNA



Open Champions - Eastern Goldfields Netball Association



Nukarni CWA Branch Members Christine Geier - Secretary, Yvonne Gray - Treasurer, Grace Alvaro - President

From the History Room

By **MERREDIN LIBRARY**

The following snippets appeared in the local AUGUST newspapers of the time.

25th, 1927: The Nungarin Districts Agricultural Society has issued the schedule of prizes for their 11th annual show, which takes place on Saturday, September 24, the prize value exceeds £250 (\$500).

2nd, 1928: FOR SALE: 1 Harley Davidson Motor Cycle, 2¾ side valve. 1928 model in perfect running order, electric. Only 5 months old. Price £68 (\$136.00) cash.

4th, 1938: All roads will lead to Korbel on Saturday night. The occasion will be the annual Korbel Ball, which has a reputation of its own and needs no further recommendation.

1950: Women begin by resisting a man's advances and ends by blocking his retreat.

24th, 1966: It was fitting that the opening of new Shire Council offices at Westonia coincided with the 50th anniversary of the 1st meeting of the council (then Road

Board) on August 16. The new offices are constructed to present a modest, yet up-to-date building, with a hallway leading into the council chambers.

28th, 1969: E.D.F.L. Results 1st Semi-Finals: A-Grade Nukarni 16.12 def. Burracoppin 6.9 and A-Reserve Centrals 7.13 def. Nukarni 7.12.

26th, 1976: In a heart-stopping game, Narembeen women's hockey team, Hawkettes, defeated Kondinin 2-1 to reach the grand final for the first time in about 41 years.

22nd, 1990: Constable Sharon Smith became the first female police officer to be based in the Merredin region when she arrived last Thursday.

11th, 2010: The old tote bar, ticket box, old toilets and hockey change rooms at the Merredin Recreation Ground are to be demolished in the 2010-11 financial year. They are unlikely to be missed as they have not been used since the new Merredin Regional Community & Leisure Centre was built nearby.

NEON WONDERLAND BLUE LIGHT DISCO

The team from Merredin Police Blue Light and the Merredin Youth Committee transformed Cummins theatre into a Neon Wonderland for an all ages Disco on Saturday 16th July 2022.

It was all things bright, tight and colourful as those present took part in a range of organised games, activities and dancing in a safe, supervised environment.

Over 110 young people from the community attended the event and enjoyed an evening of free food, prizes, sweet

treats, slushies and fun.

Police Sergeant Andy Galbraith said, "We aim to try and facilitate two to three disco events each year. We love feedback from the community and those who attend, and I welcome any comments on what people would like to see from our Blue Light team moving forward".

A reminder to follow the Blue Light Unit – Merredin page to stay up to date with all things Blue Light in Merredin.



Library Musings

By MERREDIN LIBRARY

Library and Information Week

This year Library and Information Week is 25-31 July, and the theme is 'Rewrite, Renew, Reimagine'. If you haven't been to the Merredin Library in a while, maybe come in and *renew* your membership. Checkout some of the new offerings, including free access to e-resources and equipment such as a Vaquiformer. The library space has been *reimagined*. Just like movies, many books have been *rewritten* with new focuses – maybe you would like to try 'The Three Kangaroos Gruff' by Kel Richards.

Children's Book Week

Children's Book Week this year will be celebrated from 22-26 August and the theme is

'Dreaming with eyes open...' It is about stepping into your own story, dreaming with eyes open, listening to Country as the first storyteller and learning from friends who help you on your way. Come and have a look at the wonderful books we have in stock.

Free e-Resources

Remember to ask staff about how to access our free e-resources, everything from e-books, e-magazines, e-audiobooks, movies, music, graphic novels and more. All you need is a Merredin Library Membership and an internet connection. Not a member of the Merredin Library? It is also free to join the library, just bring in something with proof of address. Library staff are always happy to help. See you soon.

THE FALSE CHARADE OF COVID

To me it feels like we have been on this merry-go-round before, doesn't it? Only, there is nothing merry about this one.

For the last few months, at least, we have tried to forge on with our lives and **pretend** COVID was in the past and to a certain degree, it was. Merredin was once COVID free, but now probably half our population either have had it or have it.

Case numbers were dropping, despite the return of almost all freedoms. International travel resumed. Large crowds were back at the footy. Life seemed almost back to normal.

However, lurking behind the **false charade** that COVID was a thing of the past was nothing other than the virus itself: ready to strike again. Now, once more, it is very much at the forefront of our minds. Well, at least it should be, in my opinion.

I do not understand the anti-vaxers, unless they have never had an injection for anything whatsoever, they are just on the bandwagon for political disruption. I have from the beginning advocated for increased vaccination, and still isolate as much as possible.

Now, the call is going out once more for people to not only ensure their vaccinations are up to date, but to increase their usage of facemasks by the doctors and scientists, not by the political leaders as their silence is deafening.



Langley
Smith

Despite the Federal Government's backflip in rejecting health advice during the last week and not making masks mandatory in certain settings (despite previously claiming health advice was the basis for all public health measures), that does not mean we cannot take our own action.

It is clear to me now that it is up to us to protect ourselves as individuals and as a society. Even seemingly, minor mandates (like masks in supermarkets) do not appear as if they will be enforced.

Instead, the onus is on the individual to keep all of us as safe as possible.

The burden on health workers is greater than ever and the staff burnout is difficult to imagine. Hospital rates due to COVID alone are soaring at a dangerous rate and are likely to only get worse. In WA, it is the worst it has been, with hospitals overcrowded, oh, and don't blame the WA Government, all other states hospitals and health systems are in a far worse state than ours, check the stats.

Therefore, here is our chance to do something small that could well have large consequences. There are no new laws, no rules to ensure your compliance.

It is up to us to mask up and protect each other.

(Adapted from other science and media articles)



SEMESTER 1 HIGHEST ACHIEVERS ASSEMBLY

Secondary students commenced Term with a Year 7-12 assembly on Monday celebrating Semester 1 Highest Achievers and the welcoming of the new 2022-2023 Student Councillors.

Awards of Excellence were also given to those students who achieved four or more 'A' grades in their Semester 1 Report.

Excellence Awards:

Year 7 - A Dobra

Year 8 - D Hayes-Thompson, C Rajagopalan, D Holland, E Geary, L Dickinson, M Kett

Year 9 - A Sutherland, B Dean, E Hardy, Z Tompkin

Year 10 - A Rajagopalan, G Shelton, S Spencer, S Saunders, T Bush

Semester 1 Highest Achievers:

Year 7 - R Auld Mathematics
L Cooper Volleyball
A Dobra Science, HASS, Health
A Downsborough Drama
G Hayes-Thompson Physical Education
A Kelly Woodwork
K Kittyea Art
R Joy Information Technology
C Major Dance
S Moylan CoRE
C Soper English, Home Economics, LOTE

Year 8 - C Alvaro Dance
J Billing Volleyball
L Dickinson Art
N Ghirardi Home Economics
D Hayes-Thompson Health
D Holland English, Mathematics, Information Technology
A Kermode Drama
M Kett HASS
E Nicholson CoRE

Year 9 - B Dean Science
M Doncon Mathematics
Z Hale Information Technology
E Hardy Volleyball
E Hardy English, Drama
A Pickett Dance
A Sutherland Art, Home Economics, CoRE
R Slater

Woodwork
M Thomson Physical Education
R Truglio HASS

Year 10 - T Bush Physical Education
C Carlson Mathematics
O Kett English, Drama
D Meyer Metalwork
A Rajagopalan Health
S Saunders HASS, Science, Dance, Woodwork
T Sellenger CoRE
G Shelton Art
Z Soper Information Technology
A Watts Home Economics

Year 11 - J Bluck General Psychology, Food Science & Technology
J Chapman Human Biology
S Cummins Physical Education
Studies - General, Certificate II in Construction Pathways
C Gardiner Physical Education
Studies - ATAR
N Hayes-Thompson Certificate II in Construction
Pathways, Certificate II in Engineering Pathways
J Nayda Certificate II in Applied Digital Technologies
A Robson Mathematics Applications
C Squire Outdoor Education
P Slater Certificate II in Rural Operations
K Spencer Visual Arts
M Tompkin Certificate III in Information Technology
J Truglio English - ATAR, Modern History
A Watkins English - General

Mathematics Essentials
C Wells Mathematics Foundations
S Westberg English - Foundation

Year 12 - Z Boulton Certificate II in Engineering
Pathways
S Corey Mathematics Foundations
J Evans Certificate II in Applied Digital Technologies
C Ghirardi

Children, Family & Community
R Gillett Food Science & Technology
J Grant Certificate II in Construction
Pathways
E Irving Mathematics Applications, Physical Education
Studies - ATAR
J Jefferies Certificate II in Engineering

Pathways
J Lloyd Outdoor Education
S McKay English - Foundation
C Navales English - General
C Penny General Psychology, Visual Arts
X Rajagopalan English - ATAR, Human Biology, Certificate II in Information Technology
A Taylor Mathematics Essentials, Physical Education
Studies - General



Presenting.....
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Tales from the Rails

By JANE PATRONI, Chairperson

Rain and the Railways

Winter brings seasonal rain – hope for farmers and a refresh for all from the hot, dusty and dry days of summer. Over the years, winter rains were both a blessing and a curse for both the railwaymen and the community fathers.

The wet conditions highlighted what a difficult job the railway gangs had when floods wreaked havoc on the permanent way.

These pictures from our collection show the effects of rain in Merredin and around the Wheatbelt. What is the wettest day you can remember? We'd love to know...



South Babakin 1926



1938 Floods



1953 Floods



1953 Floods

WELCOME BACK TO TERM THREE!

St Mary's School would like to welcome all staff and students back to school for Term Three.

We are ready for exciting learning opportunities to be presented to us this term.



WILDFLOWER SOCIETY

By LAURA CRUZ

On Saturday members of the Wildflower Society Merredin branch went to the bushland on Caw Street and did some rubbish pick up and weeding.

Over the next couple of months there should be a lovely display of wildflowers there, especially the yellow feather flower *Verticordia chrysantha*, which is the Merredin floral emblem.

For more information about where you can find the best wildflowers this season, visit the Merredin Visitors Centre.

There are some beautiful places in Merredin to visit or take a little bit of extra time and go for a wildflower drive.

The Merredin Wildflower society meets every third Wednesday at 7pm in the new Herbarium behind the Merredin Library.



Photo by Stella Cruz

MERREDIN DISTRICT CHARITY TENNIS OPEN DAY 2022

What a day! Back in March this year the Merredin District Lawn Tennis Club ran its 2022 Open Day as a fundraiser for Farmers Across Borders, to support farmers following the Corrigin bush fires which had just hit nearby.

We were overwhelmed by the support from our local businesses, with a total of 38 businesses in Merredin and the surrounding wheatbelt contributing to our day in various ways. A list of sponsors are listed, please give these businesses as much support as possible as they are actively supporting our community events. We would not be able to run these events without them!

We had excellent numbers, 56 adults and included a junior category and had 8 junior boys play. It was one of the strongest fields we've had in recent years, and a very enjoyable day.

Ken Hooper & Jason Wahlsten took out the Men's A Grade, with runners up on a countback going to Ryan Matres & Kevin Smith. Lionel Price & Israel Ostler took out the Men's B Grade, with Grant Stainer & Brad Manning coming in as runners up.

Ladies A Grade Winners were Nicola Granich and Tenielle McGregor, with very close runners up in the A grade Mel Davis and Maddi Noack. B Grade winners were Dianne

Rogers and Gwen Hobson. B Grade runners up were decided by a three-way countback going to the youthful Antoinette and Jianna Matres.

Mitchell O'Neill & Archie Gethin took out the Boys Grade, with close runners up being Jordan Billing and Patrick O'Neill.

Congratulations to all those winners, and to everyone that came and played and supported the day. A huge thank you must also go out to our MDLTC Committee and members who organised and kept the day running.

Last year we contributed \$2,000 to Crawford Lodge for rural cancer patients' accommodation. This year our charity of choice is the Farmers Across Borders charity, delivering hay and support to those farmers directly affected by the Corrigin bush fires, and now those over east affected by floods. This year we are proud to be able to donate \$2,500.

The 2022/23 tennis season will be here before we know it, so anyone who is interested in playing tennis this year please join our facebook group: Merredin Districts Lawn Tennis Club, or email mdltc@hotmail.com.au to join our mailing list.

MDLTC would like to thank our very generous raffle sponsors: AIM Dental Merredin, Australia Post Merredin, Cafe 56

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Ladies A Grade winners - Nicola Granich & Tenielle McGregor



Men's A Grade runners up - Ryan Matres & Kevin Smith

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“RULE OF THIRDS” CAMERA CLUB MEETING

By GRANT STAINER

“Rule of thirds” was the theme for the July meeting of the Merredin Camera Club, and this allowed a wide range of ways of meeting the subject.

The rule of thirds is a guide that is used to compose photos in a more effective way.

It is comprised of two horizontal lines spaced equidistant from each other to divide the photo into thirds, and another two such lines vertically.

Where the horizontal and vertical lines intersect are visual strong points in the photo, and it is good to place your main subjects at these points. The

lines themselves are also strong points to place key aspects of the photo such as horizons in a landscape photo.

Seventeen photos filled the theme section this month, and another 19 photos filled the open section. The judge for July was Kim Cottrell.

In the theme section, Mr Cottrell awarded gold to Rosie Cahill’s “Sunset thru the trees”.

Equal silver was awarded to Pippa de Lacy’s “Surfer” and Gina Humphries “Canola tree”. Equal bronze was awarded to seven photos.

In the open section, equal silver was awarded to Rosie Cahill’s

“Sunset”, Jules Alvaro’s “Long shadows over old tank” and “Small and unique”, Kate Caughey’s “Elachbutting Sunset”, and Glen Riethmuller’s “Salmon Gum”.

Equal bronze was awarded to Gina Humphries “Decomposition” and Rosie Cahill’s “Dewy banksia flower”. No golds were awarded in the open section this month.

Club members voted somewhat similarly to the judge in both the theme and open sections.

In the theme section, first place went to Jules Alvaro’s “Angry bird”. Equal second place went to Pippa de Lacy’s “Surfer” and Rosie Cahill’s “Sunset thru the trees”. Third place went to Pippa de Lacy’s “Cosmos”.

In the club member’s open section voting, first place went

to Kate Caughey’s “Elachbutting Sunset”. Second place went to Rosie Cahill’s “Dewy banksia flower”, and third place went to Chloe Willcocks’s “Rocks”.

The next meeting is scheduled for the 17th August, where the subject will be “autobiography”, which will be a fascinating subject to photograph.

The Merredin Camera Club welcomes new members.

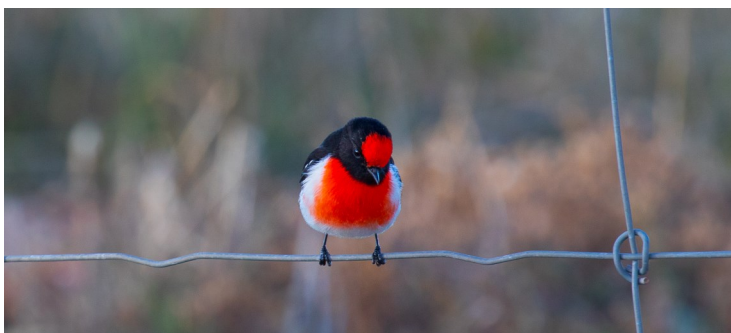
For more information about the Merredin Camera Club, please email Kate Caughey at merredincameraclub@yahoo.com.au



'Sunset thru the trees' by Rosie Cahill



'Rocks' by Chloe Willcocks



'Angry Bird' by Jules Alvaro



'Elachbutting Sunset' by Kate Caughey



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<p>Seventh Day Adventist Church 11am</p> <p>Merredin Fine Arts Society 9am-12pm</p> <p>Community Garden 2pm</p> <p>St Mary's Catholic Church – Mass 6.30pm</p>	<p>Merredin Uniting Church 10am</p> <p>Merredin Church of Christ 10am</p> <p>St Teresa Catholic Church Sunday Mass at 1pm</p>	<p>Bootscooting 7pm at Cummins Theatre 9041 3005 (leave a message), 0409 172 259, or see Lyn at the Post Office</p> <p>A Choired Taste 7pm rehearsal at Old North Merredin Primary School</p>	<p>Gentle Gym at the Senior Centre 2pm</p>	<p>Craft Group at the Senior Centre 10am</p>	<p><i>National Chocolate Chip Cookie Day</i></p>  <p>Men's Shed 2-5pm 0427 831 024</p> <p>Merredin Fine Arts Society 9am-2pm</p>	<p><i>Jeans For Genes Day</i></p>  <p>Kids club, Ages 4-12, 3-5pm at Merredin Church of Christ, 17 Throssell Rd, gold coin donation 0429 108 241</p>
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NANGEENAN NATTERS

By **JULIE TOWNROW**

Like so many others, having contracted Covid, I thought we had sailed through with very little issue and while I thought it would knock Mike over due to his health, in his usual stoic manner, he probably did better than the rest of the house. Having talked with others who have come out the other side, I came to realise that my usual exuberance for life had tucked itself under a veil of brain fog and getting the usual amount done in a day just wasn't happening. I'm happy to say now, when my eyes open in the morning, I'm happy to leap out of bed and get on with it.

Two chance encounters this week have tantalised my mind. My beautiful and very talented niece Amy Marley, who has children with allergies, has written a book "Pete the Peanut" an introductory resource to allergens, allergies and Anaphylaxis. The book is a great little resource and I wanted to donate one to the library. While there I ran into Roy Butler, who

was asking for any information that the library may have on what he described as Merredin's First Greenie, but better known as the Merredin Hermit.

Loving research, I came home and consulted Dr Google but couldn't find anything. But who needs Dr Google when we have Richard Last? He was able to recall, in detail, where he was at the time and details.

Richard's recollection was similar to mine as around 1962/63. He went on to say that some of the stolen goods from the club were located at his camp site. Wow, what a story to excite my curiosity!

Then on Monday I went to meet the Shire President, Mark McKenzie, to enquire about future street parking at the Hall and as the conversation flowed, he asked me if I had heard of the "Great Emu War". No, I had not. He mentioned that there may be a possibility of a movie or similar to be produced. Again, my curiosity got the better of me and hello Dr Google again to

read up on the history of The Great Emu War.

What wonderful stories, that we may never have known about apart from the chance meetings we have from time to time. Last week we, the Marley siblings, met in Perth for lunch, as we do twice a year. This time Geoff, the first of us, collected Dot Robartson who was married to Frank Robartson and they farmed over the road from the 6MD radio transmitter. Dot played piano in the Crackerjack Band with Teddy Pitt and Jim O'Leary. It was great to share stories of bygone days. Dot's parents owned the Nukarni Store before the Spargo family bought it, recounting stories keep us engaged.

While some may not give a toss about history, I think there was some value in the policing of Sargent Reg Carr. We all knew if we stepped out of line, we could expect a decent kick in the rear end and sometimes, time in a cell at the behest of our parents when they felt we strayed too far

off the straight and narrow. However, we had freedoms that kids of today don't get. We had no digital technology but bush and rocks and space and often the best part of the day was when the back flywire door smacked your backside as it closed behind you on your way out, off for another adventure, knowing if you did the wrong thing we would be in trouble. The bush and life were our teacher.

With the paper work still in progress, and as they say, the job ain't finished till the paperwork's done, and while I still have the occasional conniption, I am trying to manage the feelings of outrage I feel about so many things. As I sit to consider, I find that I have so many conflicting thoughts and how mysterious the mind is, how different things of interest are to different people. On one hand some think they are powerless to change a thing so do nothing, others (like me) drive themselves nuts wondering why things can't be done.

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WTF 28th JULY — 10th AUGUST 2022

By PETER BARRETT

Welcome back WTFers! The sun finally begins to rise before 7am and set after 5:30pm, appearing above the horizon for an extra 18 minutes by the end of the fortnight.

Saturn is now rising within half an hour of sunset, giving us a great opportunity to focus on it for the rest of the year. The bright star next to Saturn is Deneb Algedi, Arabic for “the tail of the goat”. Also known as Delta Capricorni, this is the brightest star in Capricorn and actually consists of a clump of four.

The main component is an eclipsing binary, in other words two stars very close to each other and orbiting each other in

our line of sight such that one goes behind the other each orbit. This occurs roughly daily. There are also two smaller stars orbiting slightly further away.

The inhabitants of any planet within this system would have a very interesting sky indeed! Jupiter is still traversing the remote corner of Cetus the whale and is also coming into contention as an evening object. Mercury is now very well positioned in the Western sky after sunset and should be easy to catch. Venus and Mars, however, are still strictly for the early risers.

NASA’s new James Webb space telescope continues to impress us and its handlers with exquisite detail, most recently of Jupiter. This bizarre-looking

multibillion-dollar instrument features an infra-red sensor operating at -223 degrees Celsius, thanks to a five-layer sun shield. This means that Webb must always point away from the sun and the Earth and therefore only has access to 40% of the sky at any time. Thus, it has seasons, and it can take six months before targets become accessible. The instrument sits a million kilometres from us directly opposite the sun at what is called LaGrange point 2, one of five such positions in which the gravity of the sun and earth interact to keep things locked there. Take a look at its website <https://webb.nasa.gov>.

At LaGrange point 1, a million or so kilometres closer to the

sun will be found a number of satellites but two are of particular interest. DISCOVER, the Deep Space Climate Observatory faces the sunlit earth and measures how much radiation is absorbed and reflected, thus giving us an accurate means of gauging climate change. SOHO the Solar and Heliospheric Observatory faces the sun and is a valuable warning system for solar storms that affect the earth’s ionosphere. The Bureau of Meteorology publish daily images from SOHO on its space weather page <https://sws.bom.gov.au>.

I could fill the Phoenix with cool things about space but space here is not so limitless. See you next fortnight. Keep looking up.

Date/Planet	Sun ☉	Moon ☾	Mercury ♀
Thu 28 🌑	☉ 06:57am-05:29pm	☾ 07:29am-04:55pm 0%	☿ 07:47am-06:24pm 90%
Fri 29	☉ 06:57am-05:29pm	☾ 08:05am-05:53pm 0%	☿ 07:48am-06:30pm 89%
Sat 30	☉ 06:56am-05:30pm	☾ 08:38am-06:51pm 2%	☿ 07:50am-06:35pm 88%
Sun 31	☉ 06:55am-05:31pm	☾ 09:07am-07:48pm 7%	☿ 07:51am-06:39pm 87%
Mon 1	☉ 06:54am-05:31pm	☾ 09:35am-08:45pm 13%	☿ 07:52am-06:44pm 85%
Tue 2	☉ 06:54am-05:32pm	♊ 10:03am-09:43pm 21%	☿ 07:53am-06:49pm 84%
Wed 3	☉ 06:53am-05:33pm	♊ 10:32am-10:42pm 30%	☿ 07:54am-06:53pm 83%
Thu 4	☉ 06:52am-05:33pm	♊ 11:04am-11:42pm 41%	☿ 07:54am-06:57pm 82%
Fri 5	☉ 06:51am-05:34pm	♋ 11:40am-12:46am 52%	☿ 07:55am-07:01pm 81%
Sat 6 🌑	☉ 06:51am-05:34pm	♋ 12:23pm-01:54am 64%	☿ 07:55am-07:05pm 79%
Sun 7	☉ 06:50am-05:35pm	♋ 12:23pm-03:04am 75%	☿ 07:55am-07:09pm 78%
Mon 8	☉ 06:49am-05:36pm	♌ 01:14pm-04:13am 85%	☿ 07:55am-07:13pm 77%
Tue 9	☉ 06:48am-05:36pm	♌ 02:15pm-05:18am 92%	☿ 07:55am-07:16pm 76%
Wed 10	☉ 06:47am-05:37pm	♌ 03:25pm-06:15am 97%	☿ 07:55am-07:19pm 75%

Date/Planet	Venus ♀	Mars ♂	Jupiter ♃	Saturn ♄
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Fri 29	♀ 05:34am-03:42pm 92%	♂ 01:10am-11:57am 84%	♃ 10:14pm-10:07am	♄ 06:41pm-08:00am
Sat 30	♀ 05:35am-03:43pm 92%	♂ 01:10am-11:57am 84%	♃ 10:10pm-10:03am	♄ 06:37pm-07:56am
Sun 31	♀ 05:36am-03:45pm 92%	♂ 01:09am-11:55am 84%	♃ 10:06pm-09:59am	♄ 06:32pm-07:52am
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Tue 2	♀ 05:38am-03:48pm 92%	♂ 01:07am-11:52am 84%	♃ 09:58pm-09:52am	♄ 06:24pm-07:43am
Wed 3	♀ 05:39am-03:50pm 92%	♂ 01:07am-11:50am 84%	♃ 09:54pm-09:48am	♄ 06:20pm-07:39am
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Horoscopes



ARIES 21 March—19 April

It's an excellent time for looking after your body and for spending money on pleasurable activities.



TAURUS 20 April-26 May

The next two to three weeks bring a tighter connection to someone who wants to be together.



GEMINI 21 May-20 June

It is best to keep extreme people with strong ideologies at arm's length and keep to yourself.



CANCER 21 June-22 July

If you are traveling, then cultural differences can be extreme.



LEO 23 July-22 August

Have you been contemplating some career changes? Think about how much you're willing to change.



VIRGO 23 August-22 September

Stay well away from extreme environments for at least a few weeks people can be provocative.



LIBRA 23 September-22 October

Expand your horizons and your circle of acquaintances and celebrate the people in your life.



SCORPIO 23 October-21 November

This is a very positive period, bringing expansion and positive developments together.



SAGITTARIUS 22 November-21 December

Travel and study expand your intellectual horizons and enhance your appreciation of the good things.



CAPRICORN 22 December-19 January

People can be extremely provocative at the moment, perhaps they are in a challenging environment.



AQUARIUS 20 January-18 February

You can expect other people to be upbeat and full of initiative.



PISCES 19 February-20 March

There may be some tensions early in the week due to difficult people and disruptive circumstances.

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By TREVOR WATERHOUSE

The Hutton & Northey Sales sponsored Super 6 match play was held on Saturday the 16th of July. Each match was played over the 6 holes on the west side of the golf course and after three knockout rounds the major final was played between John Attwell and Trevor Waterhouse and John was the winner after the 6 holes played. The plate final was contested between Steve Wilson and Jim Campbell and Steve came out on top.

The novelties for the day were nearest third shot on hole number 1 Peter Western, Jim Campbell won the novelties on hole number 6 for the nearest second shot and hole number 7 for the nearest second shot, nearest the pin on hole number 8 was Alex Manning, the nearest second shot on hole number 9 was Justin Watts and the longest putt on hole number 18 was Darren O'Neill.

Congratulations to Rob Gearing who won the gross at the Nokaning Cup held on Sunday the 17th of July and Shaun Avery was the runner up in the gross.

In very windy, and at times rainy, conditions the Eastern Districts Golf Association Foursomes Championships were held on Saturday the 23rd of July at the Merredin Golf Club and were sponsored by Hutton & Northey Sales and Case IH

and the gross champions for 2022 were Aaron and Ryan Flanagan with a great score of 77 and second after a 4-hole play-off in at times heavy rain were Alex Manning and Darren O'Neill with 80 from Murray Clausen and Brian Waterhouse. The net champions for 2022 were Glen Crees and Warren Crook with 72.75 net from Murray Clausen and Brian Waterhouse with 73.25 net.

The novelties for the day were nearest third shot on hole number 1 and nearest third shot on hole number 3 Nino Caporaso and Peter Western, nearest second shot on hole number 6 Shaun Avery and Rob Gearing, nearest second shot on hole number 9 Glenn Crees and Warren Crook, nearest third shot on hole number 11 Aaron and Ryan Flanagan, nearest second shot on hole number 12 Lionel Price and Brian Bush, nearest second shot on hole number 15 Jim Campbell and Justin Watts and nearest second shot on hole number 18 Matt Jacobson and Davis Thompson.

The fixture for Saturday the 30th of July is the Elders Insurance sponsored invite a non-golfer stableford day and Sunday the 31st of July is the Nungarin Masters to be held at Nungarin Golf Club.

Saturday the 6th of August is the Della Bosca Cup 27 holes to be held at the Southern Cross Golf Club and Sunday the 7th of August is a Club Day at the

Merredin Golf Club.

All players keep in mind the Merredin Sands that will be played with 4BBB on Friday the 19th of August and then 18 holes on each day of the 20th and 21st of August.



Glen Crees and Warren Crook Net Champions Eastern Districts Golf Association Foursomes



Ryan and Aaron Flanagan Gross Champions Eastern Districts Golf Association Foursomes



Steve Wilson Plate Winner Hutton & Northey Sales Super 6



John Attwell Winner Hutton & Northey Sales Super 6

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Football

EASTERN DISTRICTS FOOTBALL LEAGUE

LEAGUE – Round 11 Results

Hyden/Karlgarin FC: 15.13 (103) def. Corrigin FC: 7.10 (52)

GOALS: Hyden/Karlgarin FC: C. James 4, I. Haslam 3, M. Lane 2, T. Edwards 2, M. Elhers 2, K. James 1, D. Biglin 1

Corrigin FC: J. Bootsma 3, M. McLeod 2, T. Smith 1, T. Crossland 1

BEST: Hyden/Karlgarin FC: T. Edwards, I. Haslam, M. Lane, T. O'Brien, D. Elhers

Corrigin FC: B. Dixon, B. Doyle, S. Price, D. Crossland, J. Bootsma

Kulin/Kondinin FC: 16.11 (107) def Southern Cross FC: 4.2 (26)

GOALS: Kulin/Kondinin FC: S. Duckworth 6, S. Browning 3, B. Whyte 2, T. Browning 1, L. Biglin 1, J. Shaddick 1, T. Bradford 1, T. Biglin 1

Southern Cross FC: M. Russo 4,

BEST: Kulin/Kondinin FC: S. Browning, L. Biglin, T. Biglin, J. McMullen, A. Repacholi

Southern Cross FC: B. Roberts,

M. Russo, G. Hays, D. Stephen, K. Beilken

Nukarni FC: 10.11 (71) def Narembeen FC: 5.9 (39)

GOALS: Nukarni FC: M. Sharp 3, H. McCracken 3, D. Dixon 1, J. de Lacy 1, L. Passero 1, B. Byron 1

Narembeen FC: J. Kennedy 3, C. Spinks 1, R. Richardson 1

BEST: Nukarni FC: None supplied

Narembeen FC: R. Richardson, H. Spinks, D. Mortimore, W. Shepherd

Burracoppin FC: 24.18 (162) def Bruce Rock FC: 1.3 (9)

GOALS: Burracoppin FC: C. Nind 6, J. Lindroth 4, J. Downsborough 4, J. Stevens 3, P. Withers 2, T. Lane 1, R. Ferguson 1, S. Adkin 1, J. Burrell 1, S. Hutchings 1

Bruce Rock FC: C. Davis 1

BEST: Burracoppin FC: J. Downsborough, C. Nind, J. Stevens, D. Enright, S. Adkin

Bruce Rock FC: E. Fitts, W. Verghoot, D. McFarlane, J. Duckworth, L. Meldrum

RESERVES – Round 11 Results

Hyden/Karlgarin FC: 9.8 (62) def Corrigin FC: 5.6 (36)

GOALS: Hyden/Karlgarin FC: D. Gittos 3, B. Page 1, A. James 1, C. Walton 1, B. Smith 1, C. Hinck 1, M. Rogers 1

Corrigin FC: J. Coppin 2, L. Rendell 1, L. Wilson 1, S. Coppin 1

BEST: Hyden/Karlgarin FC: D. Gittos, A. James, J. Whitwell, C. Walton, M. Blair

Corrigin FC: J. Coppin, J. Sullivan, S. Wallwork, J. Rogers, L. Rendell

Kulin/Kondinin FC: 8.13 (61) def Southern Cross FC: 3.4 (22)

GOALS: Kulin/Kondinin FC: None supplied

Southern Cross FC: S. Hart 1, J. Steel 1, M. Thompson 1

BEST: Kulin/Kondinin FC: None supplied

Southern Cross FC: T. Wells, J. Steel, J. Dal Busco, S. Hart, A. Brunalli

Nukarni FC: 9.13 (67) def Narembeen FC: 5.6 (36)

GOALS: Nukarni FC: J. Puglia 4, M. Crook 1, J. Major 1, Z. McQuistan 1, T. de Lacy 1, P. Gray 1

Narembeen FC: C. Sprigg 2, T. Latham 1, N. Brown 1, S. Bald 1

BEST: Nukarni FC: None supplied

Narembeen FC: None supplied

Bruce Rock FC: 7.10 (52) def Burracoppin FC: 4.5 (29)

GOALS: Bruce Rock FC: C. Davis 3, M. Gilbert 2, M. Cashmore 1, B. Wayne 1

Burracoppin FC: S. Ryan 1, M. Hayden 1, K. Hayden 1, S. Hutchings 1

BEST: Bruce Rock FC: J. Duckworth, L. Welshman, M. Gilbert, C. Davis, D. Kalejs

Burracoppin FC: K. Newton, J. Barnett, N. Barnett, B. Smith, S. Hutchings

CENTRAL WHEATBELT FOOTBALL LEAGUE

16th July 2022—Round 12

Bencubbin (81) d. Beacon (64)

Bencubbin: Goal Scorers: R. Edmondson (4), K. Beagley (2), D. Murphy (1), D. Patat (1), M. Putt (1), C. Higgins (1), T. Rowling (1)

Best Players: D. Patat, R. Edmondson, R. Gobbart, T. Rowling, I. Ewing, C. Higgins

Beacon: Goal Scorers: B. Marlborough (4), C. Junk (3), L. Andrews (1), B. Beard (1), D. Begovich (1)

Best Players: A. Munns, L. Dunne, B. Marlborough, C. Junk, M. Dunne, N. Dunne

Kalannie (147) d. Mukinbudin (44)

Kalannie: Goal Scorers: M.

Johnson (7), E. Bradbury (4), R. Polak (3), M. Dinsdale (3), R. Jefferys (2), J. Kemsley (2), D. Acres (1), L. Coleman (1), B. Walton (1)

Best Players: M. Reynolds, R. Cali, E. Bradbury, D. Acres, M. Dinsdale, B. Walton

Mukinbudin: Goal Scorers: J. Beagley (3), C. Shadbolt (1), B. Smith (1), L. Shadbolt (1)

Best Players: K. Woods, C. Shadbolt, G. Shadbolt, B. Smith, L. Shadbolt, J. Lockyer

Round 13, 23 July 2022

Kalannie (103) d. Bencubbin (59)

Kalannie: Goal Scorers: N. French (4), M. Johnson (3), J. Kemsley (3), B. Walton (2), B. Dodd (1), M. Dinsdale (1)

Best: R. Polak, J. Kemsley, N. French, R. Cali, B. Walton, D. Acres

Bencubbin: Goal Scorers: R. Edmondson (5), D. Murphy (2), M. Putt (2)

Best Players: B. Yates, C. Higgins, R. Edmondson, T. Rowling, M. Ballard, A. Fitzpatrick

Koorda (135) d. Beacon (15)

Koorda: Goal Scorers: L. McWha (5), R. Wells (4), H. Cooke (4), M. Foote (3), R. Greaves (1), L. Green (1), B. Ward (1), B. Derbyshire (1), T. Henning (1)

Best Players: M. Foote, R. Wells, L. McWha, R. Greaves, J. Applegate, R. Boyne

Beacon: Goal Scorers: B. Beard (1), C. Junk (1)

Best Players: N. Winters, C. Junk, C. Collins, N. Dunne, M. Lane, R. Williams

#	TEAM	P	W	L	D	BYE	PTS	%
1	Kalannie	10	10	0	0	2	40	242.25
2	Koorda Football Club	9	5	4	0	3	20	110.39
3	Bencubbin	9	4	5	0	2	16	84.3
4	Beacon	9	2	7	0	3	8	68.56
5	Mukinbudin	9	2	7	0	3	8	57.11

CENTRAL WHEATBELT NETBALL ASSOCIATION

Round 12, 16 July 2022

Mukinbudin (57) d. Kalannie (31)

Mukinbudin: Best Player: Tanya Turner

Coach's Award: Alyce Ventris

Kalannie: Best Player: Jessica Mathews

Coach's Award: Jessica Fletchers

Koorda (34) d. Nungarin (32)

Koorda: Best Player: Charli West

Coach's Award: Sarah Edwards

Nungarin: Best Player: Jemma Wegner

Coach's Award: Jenae DeLacy

Round 13, 23 July 2022

Nungarin (45) d. Mukinbudin (32)

Nungarin: Best Player: Lisa

O'Neil

Coach's Award: Emma Lee

Mukinbudin: Best Player: Jelara Daddow

Coach's Award: Tania Sprigg

Bencubbin (47) d. Kalannie (13)

Bencubbin: Best Player: Danelle Foley

Coach's Award: Phoebe Sachse

Kalannie: Best Player: Jess Fletcher

Coach's Award: Kayla Moore

RANK	TEAM	P	PTS	%	W	L	D	BYE	F	A	FORF
1	Mukinbudin	11	32	131.38	8	2	0	2	448	341	1
2	Bencubbin	10	26	140.20	6	3	1	3	415	296	0
3	Nungarin	10	22	104.89	5	4	1	3	322	307	0
4	Kalannie	11	18	73.10	4	6	1	2	318	435	0
5	Koorda	10	6	68.89	1	8	1	3	313	437	0

MERREDIN NETBALL ASSOCIATION

22nd July 2022

Gems (29) d. Jets (21)

Titans 1 (62) d. Titans 2 (15)

Titans (67) d. Karni Jewels (52)

Juniors – Round 8

Seniors A1 – Round 11

Karni Jewels (42) d. Jets (29)

Jets (29) d. Blues (26)

Blues (45) d. Karni Jewels (43)

Gems (38) d. Blues (26)

Seniors A2 – Round 11

Gems B (54) d. Gems A (32)

CENTRAL WHEATBELT LADIES HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

Round 12, 16 July 2022

Koorda (9) d. Nungarin (0)

Koorda: Goal Scorers: Hannah Cooper (1), Amber Cooke (2), Lana Foote (4), Melissa Henning (1), Pippa Reilly (1)

Player's Choice: Jessica Boyne

Coach's Award: Christine Moore

Nungarin: Player's Choice: Debbie Hurley

Coach's Award: N/A

Bencubbin (1) draw Beacon (1)

Bencubbin: Goal Scorers: Rebecca Watson

Best Player: Danelle Foley

Coach's Award: Georgie Crane & Kate Hutchinson

Best Goal/Defender: Rebecca Watson

Beacon: Goal Scorers: Louise Pomykala

Best Player: Caitlin Moule

Coach's Award: Marcus Slater

Round 13, 23 July 2022

Mukinbudin (6) d. Nungarin (0)

Mukinbudin: Goal Scorers: Hannah Paterson (2), Dale Cronje (1), Sarah-Kate Graham (1), Louse Sellenger (1), Ellen

White (1)

Players' Choice: Aimee Chisolm

Coach's Award: Sarah-Kate Graham

Nungarin: Best Player: N/A

Players' Choice: N/A

Koorda (3) d. Beacon (0)

Koorda: Goal Scorers: Amber Cooke (1), Pippa Reilly (1), Kirri-Lee Ward (1)

Players' Choice: Rebecca Fuchsichler

Coach's Award: Gina Boyne

Beacon: Best Player: Kerry Junk

Coach's Award: Emily Junk

Kalannie (3) d. Bencubbin (2)

Kalannie: Goal Scorers: Corie Lobwein (2), Mitch Lobwein (1)

Players' Choice: Corie Lobwein

Coach's Award: Zoe Aitken & Lucy Osborne

Bencubbin: Goal Scorers: Rebecca Watson (1), Meg Wyatt (1)

Best Player: Sonja Devill

Coach's Award: Charlotte Crossen

Goal of the day/Best Defender: Rebecca Watson

NAREMBEEN AND BRUCE ROCK DARTS ASSOCIATION

15th July 2022

Round 4 Week 2

Wizards (10) d. Bruce Rock (1)

MC Sharks (7) d. Royals (4)

Jets (6) d. Magpies (5)

22nd July 2022

Round 4 Week 3

MC Sharks (9) d. Wizards (2)

Magpies (8) d. Bruce Rock (3)

Jets (8) d. Royals (3)

TEAM	PLAYED	WON	LOST	LEGS FOR	LEGS AGAINST	LEGS DIFFERENCE	POINTS
MC SHARKS	18	13	5	128	70	+58	26
WIZARDS	18	11	7	107	91	+16	22
MAGPIES	18	10	8	106	92	+14	20
JETS	18	10	8	96	102	-6	20
ROYALS	18	6	12	84	114	-30	12
BRUCE ROCK	18	4	14	73	125	-52	8



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FOR SALE



FOR SALE - 11 Morton Street - \$186,000!!

If you are in the market for a home that is fresh and tidy, this one is for you! The outside has been reclad and inside has received a paint as well as a new kitchen, bathroom and laundry! Superb jarrah flooring is featured from the lounge room through to the kitchen. The renovated bathroom features its own toilet and another separate toilet is located off the laundry. The home is serviced with electrical oven/stovetop cooking and an instantaneous gas hot water unit.

Do yourself a favour and call Sharon Johnson on 0448 108 545 to discuss a viewing or details!



FOR SALE - 77 Todd Street - \$195,000

A home with 3 generously sized bedrooms, a formal dining space as well as 2 separate living areas. Major updates have been completed including a new kitchen, new bathroom, new gyprock, new external cladding and it has been electrically re-wired. The home is serviced with evaporative ducted air conditioning, a gas instantaneous hot water unit and a gas bayonet fitted for heating.

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FOR RENT



Unfurnished brick 3 x 1 - \$200 / week AVAILABLE NOW

Hard wearing carpet to the lounge room and all three bedrooms. Wall mounted refrigerated air conditioner unit to the loungeroom. Good sized bedrooms (large master bed room). Large enclosed back yard with a small garden shed and a single carport. Small pets may be considered on application.

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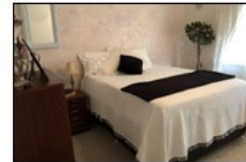
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3 Lewis Way, Merredin

FOUR BEDROOM DELIGHT

I don't think you could find a cleaner and straighter home on the market than this one at 3 Lewis Way. Neatly presented with warm and homely vibes throughout. Boasting 4 bedrooms, 1 bathroom, spacious kitchen/dining that flows onto lounge with wood fire and reverse split system A/C. Internal laundry and separate WC. Front and rear verandas overlook the beautiful cottage gardens. Electric 160L HWS and ducted evaporative A/C cooling. Poly rainwater tank, single drive through carport and rear garden/wood sheds. Well fenced yard suitable for pets and kids. North facing freehold land title of 779m2 in a quiet u-shaped street with no passing traffic.

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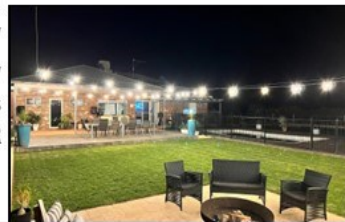
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225 Rutter Road, NANGEENAN \$700,000 - WEB ID L19048386

This is absolute hobby farm heaven. A beautiful and peaceful rural holding that is only 10 minutes drive West of Merredin townsite in the Nangeenan locality. A perfect weekend escape for either the business professional, retirees not ready for villages or a family wanting to raise their kids in the clean country air. The modern home of brick & iron construction boasts 4 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, open plan kitchen/living/dining, theatre, study, laundry and separate WC. All bedrooms have BIR's and master a large WIR and ensuite.



Address Upon Request

\$205,000- WEB ID L19166263

Inside has just had a full makeover, everything done including new kitchen, bathroom, floor coverings, paint, window treatments and is looking sharp. Outside just needs a lick of paint and some elbow grease to finish. You could design your own garden or keep as low maintenance yards. Concrete driveway and front open bay parking. Front porch entry leads into central hall that flows to kitchen/dining. 4 bedrooms all carpeted. Lounge has sliding door to front/side courtyard. Bathroom has both bath for kids and shower. Separate WC



6 Nolan Way, MERREDIN WEB ID L18402819

This gorgeous home is in a fantastic location surrounded by open fields giving it that rural feel while still being in town. The kids will love the room to play, Dad will have a 6m X 9m colourbond workshop to tinker in and Mum will fall in love with the beautifully presented family home. The front of the home has a full length veranda and timber deck with plenty of room for an outdoor lounge or dining suite. The leadlight front door opens into the formal lounge room with timber laminate flooring and down lights creating a luxury feel which flows throughout all the main living areas.



8 Cummings Street, MERREDIN \$26,000- WEB ID 3434979

****Price dropped now only \$26,500 with all written offers considered**** This vacant building block with 20m frontage is ready to build on. Views to native bush across the road. Total land area of 727m2. Fully serviced with underground power, water and deep sewerage passing. Fully neet-a-screen fenced and just been mowed clean.

No building time frames so buy now and build at your leisure. Yes transportable and kit homes are able to be approved here.

